

An Elder Benefit Specialist (EBS) helps people over the age of 60 who are encountering problems with private or government benefit programs. They are trained and guided by attorneys who specialize in elder law. An EBS is often called "the red tape cutter" and their mission is to help people figure out what benefits they are entitled to and what they must do to receive them.

They are an advocate who can act on behalf of an individual with other parties involved. Many of the benefits issues faced by seniors can be very complex. A phone conversation can oftentimes be sufficient to provide information and guidance. A home visit or office appointment may be necessary to review paperwork and to examine all opportunities of support and assistance.

Offers assistance with benefits such as:

- Medicare A, B, C, and D
- Senior Care
- Supplemental Insurance
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Social Security
- Medical Assistance
- Extra help with Prescription Drug Costs
- Food Share
- Homestead Tax Credit
- Veteran's Benefits

Offers assistance with:

- Consumer Problems
- Grievances
- Appeals
- Referrals to Legal Services
- Housing Issues
- Benefit Checkup

*All of our services are provided at no cost to you.
Donations are welcomed.*



Elder Benefit Specialist can also help you

To understand:

- Benefits you currently have
- Benefits which might help you
- Benefits you are eligible for

To apply for:

- Benefits which might help you
- Benefits you are eligible for

To problem solve when benefits:

- Have not paid a bill
- Have been denied or lost

To get professional legal assistance:

- If you need free legal counsel
- If you need to know what attorney to call for your situation



*The Pro Bono Legal
Information Project is
on hold temporarily.*

*Call the ADRC for
further details.*

Welcome To Medicare Workshop 2019 Schedule

Are you or a loved one turning 65 this year?
Confused about your Medicare options?
What plan is right for you?
Come learn about the A, B, C, and D's of Medicare!

*January 17, 2019	1 pm - 4 pm
February 19, 2019	9 am - 12 pm
March 21, 2019	1 pm - 4 pm
*April 16, 2019	9 am - 12 pm
May 20, 2019	4 pm - 7 pm
June 6, 2019	1 pm - 4 pm
*July 18, 2019	9 am - 12 pm
August 12, 2019	9 am - 12 pm
September 10, 2019	1 pm - 4 pm
*October 7, 2019	9 am - 12 pm
*November 7, 2019	4 pm - 7 pm

The Elder Benefit Specialist (EBS) program offers "Welcome to Medicare" workshops for Dodge County residents who will be eligible for Medicare.

This workshop is for people who will be turning 65 in the upcoming months and will be *newly eligible for Medicare*.... However, it can also be helpful to ANY Medicare beneficiary who have questions or concerns regarding complicated Medicare options and benefits. *** indicates the class is also open to any persons under 60 who are or will be eligible for Medicare in the upcoming months.**

This casual workshop is a complete and comprehensive overview. Participants have an opportunity to ask questions throughout the class. Space is limited; call the ADRC to sign up!



Elder Benefit Specialist Office Hours

Bay Shore Apartments

116 Lakecrest Drive

2nd Thursday of the Month from 1 pm - 3 pm

Beaver Dam Watermark

209 South Center Street

1st Wednesday of the Month from 10 am - 12 pm

Watertown Senior Center

514 South First Street

4th Monday of the Month from 10 am - 12 pm

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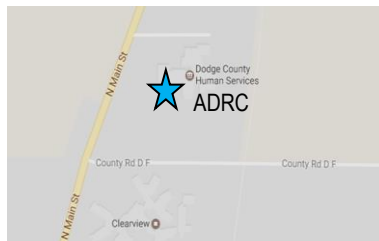
or by Appointment

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